

YOUR VISIT TO WIC

**A GUIDE TO WHAT YOU CAN
EXPECT AT YOUR VISIT TO THE
WAUKESHA COUNTY WIC CLINIC**



We look forward to seeing you!
Please call if you have any questions.

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Your time here will vary based upon the number of family members scheduled for the appointment and the number of questions or concerns that are addressed. Please allow up to one hour for your appointment.

CHECK IN

Our WIC staff will first assist you with check-in. Required materials will be collected and reviewed with you. The required items are listed on your appointment slip.

If you are new to WIC, please watch this video before your visit and decrease your appointment time by 15 minutes!

<https://connect.wisconsin.gov/dhsshoppingwithewic/>



This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

GOING TO THE LAB

Our Lab Technicians will perform weight and height measurements for all scheduled participants.

A finger stick may be performed while in the lab to test your child's blood levels for hemoglobin (iron) and lead, as needed. This procedure is NOT performed on infants under the age of 9 months. Pregnant and post-partum women will also have their hemoglobin levels tested.

Results for these tests may be used from a recent doctor's visit (*from within the last 60 days*) if a printed copy is available or if available electronically (MyChart).



IMMUNIZATIONS

The WIC Program's role is to find out about a child's need for immunizations and to share that information with parents. Visit our website for available immunization services:

www.waukeshacounty.gov/immunizations.



NUTRITION CONSULTATION

Once lab procedures are complete, a nutritionist will review the information and discuss the results with you. Additional information about your health and diet will also be discussed. Questions you have will be addressed and referrals to other community services and programs will be offered to you at this time.

OPTIONAL SERVICES YOU MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR INCLUDE ...



CHILD HEALTH CHECK

As a benefit of Badgercare, a Public Health Nurse will review your child's weight and height measurements taken earlier in our lab. She will assess your child's growth and development. She will also offer a fluoride treatment to infants and children who have begun to develop teeth. Further assistance may be offered based upon the specific needs of your family.



SUPPORT SERVICES FOR PREGNANT WOMEN

If pregnant, a Public Health Nurse will review your measurements taken earlier in the lab. She will discuss and offer additional support services and programs that are available throughout your pregnancy and beyond at no cost to you and your family.



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